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APPLICA	ANT(S) FOR DO/EO/US								
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Applica	nt herewith submits to the United S	tates Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information:						
1. ☑	This is a FIRST submission of ite	ms concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371							
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3. ☑	This is an express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371(f)). The submission must include								
	items (5), (6), (9) and (21) indicated below.								
4. ☑	The US has been elected (Article 31).								
5. ☑	A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2))								
•.	a. \square is attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau).								
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<i>4</i> [7]	c. \square is not required, as the application was filed in the United States Receiving Office (RO/US).								
6. ☑	An English language translation of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)). a. \square is attached hereto.								
	b. \square has been previously submitt	ed under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).	·						
7. ☑	Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3))								
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8. □	An English language translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)).								
9. 🗹	An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(4)).								
10. 🗆	An English language translation of the annexes of the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(5)).								
Items 1	1 to 20 below concern document(s) or information included:							
11. 🗹	An Information Disclosure Statem	ent under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98.							
12. 🗹	An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included.								
13. 🗹	A preliminary amendment.								
14. 🗆	An Application Data Sheet under 37 CFR 1.76.								
15. 🗆	A substitute specification.								
16. 🗆	A power of attorney and/or change of address letter.								
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20. 🗹	Other items or information: PCT/RO/101, first page of published WO 2004/082860 A1, International Search Report								

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